

+ Prof. Agassiz. Museum of Comparative
Zoology. Cambridge, a set of the
Zoolog. Papers of our Trans^{xx}, from
the point at which Papers have
been issued for separate sale ^{up to} ~~now~~
from the commencement of the 26th volume;
also the Zoolog. section of the journal
from Vol. 9 onwards; but that of the
publications of the Museum, we
has never rec'd either Nos. 8 of their
Bulletin, or Nos. 4, 5, & 6 ~~of~~⁺ of the
Illustr. Catalogue of the Museum.
These Prof. Agassiz seems to have sent
soon after this to the S. I., to complete our
set. When you see him, will you
kindly say that these have never
reached us, and that on receipt
of a letter from him, a few days
back, expressing the hope that we
had by this time rec'd them, as he
had lately heard of the arrival of
other packages, dispatched at the
same time with ours, I forward his
note to the Agent here of the Smith-
sonian Inst., who reported that
there was nothing lying there for us,
so that I cannot but fear that the
package must have hopelessly mis-
carried.

very truly yours
D^r Asa Gray. Rec'd & Trippis
J. N. D. S. Co.

Linnean Society,
Burlington House, London, W.
Novr 13th, 1874.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your note of the
30th ult^o, I beg to say that, altho'
in a previous letter, you mentioned
that you had disposed of the copy
of your journal, originally intended
for the Herbarium Library, Boston,
you did not say to whom. We
could, therefore, only address the
two Nos. (75 & 76) to your care,
that you might hand them over
to the recipient of the previous
Nos. If you will have the kind-
ness to do so, I will take care that
the future Nos. are sent, addressed
to the Library of the Horticult^l
Society, Boston, Mass." I take for
granted this will be a sufficient
direction for book-post. I am

not quite sure whether, among all the turmoil incident to the transfer of ourselves and our belongings to what we have every reason to hope will be our permanent resting-place, I did remember to inform you that we had, at last, after months of delay, received the amount left charges $4\frac{1}{3}$ for which we had, at your suggestion, insured the books. The full amount proves to be £9:15:9. This sum we will either forward to you, as suggested in your former letter or place it by your credit with the Society, against any copies of its Transactions or journals which you may wish to purchase, and which in the Transactions, at all events, could be sent, either thro' the Smithson. Institⁿ. or thro' Fribuer &c. if more convenient to you. We have just brought out, by the bye, another part (Vol. 30 pt. 2) of the Transactions, consisting

with the exception of about half a dozen pages - of a monograph of the Leythidea, by our veteran contributor, Mr. Grise, & illustrated by 33 plates. The price of the part, to you, would be $18\frac{1}{2}$ to the public $24\frac{1}{2}$. The concluding part of the 30th volume, the printing of which is far advanced, will consist exclusively, of a memoir on the Composite, by our Ex-president, Mr. Benthamp, whom I had the pleasure of seeing yesterday, (at a meeting of our Library Committee) to all appearance as active and energetic as ever. He still, I am happy to say, remains as a member of our Council, of which, I need not tell you he is, as he ever has been, a most efficient and valuable member.

In my letter to you of the 23^d of March last, I mentioned that, in Augt/73, we had given to the Smithsonian Institⁿ. in the Libr